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Vessels inspected at Yokohama during September and October.

OFFICE SANITARY INSPECTOR,
MARINE-HOSPITAL SERVICE,
Yokohama, Japan, November 20, 1897.

SIR: I have the honor to report that during the months of September and October just passed I inspected vessels as follows, all being apparently free from infection:

Vessels inspected and free from infection.

Date.	Steamer or vessel.	Destination.
Sept. 4	American steamship City of Peking	San Francisco via Honolulu.
Sept. 11	British steamship Energia.....	New York via ports.
Sept. 14	British steamship Doric.....	San Francisco via Honolulu.
Sept. 18	British steamship Victoria.....	Tacoma via Victoria.
Sept. 21	British steamship Glenfarg.....	Tacoma.
Sept. 23	Japanese steamship Kinshiu Maru.....	Seattle.
Do.....	Hawaiian steamship China.....	San Francisco via Honolulu.
Sept. 27	British steamship Cromartysshire.....	Portland, Oreg.
Oct. 2	British steamship Belgic.....	San Francisco via Honolulu.
Oct. 4	British sailing vessel H. D. Troop.....	Tacoma.
Do.....	British steamship Braemar.....	Portland, Oreg.
Oct. 5	British steamship Macduff.....	New York via ports.
Do.....	British steamship Glenericht	Tacoma (reinspected 9th).
Oct. 9	British steamship Olympia	Tacoma.
Do.....	Japanese steamship Riojun Maru.....	Seattle.
Oct. 10	American steamship Peru.....	San Francisco via Honolulu.
Oct. 14	British steamship Flintshire.....	Portland, Oreg.
Do.....	British sailing vessel Lord Wolseley	Port Townsend.
Oct. 19	British sailing vessel Selkirkshire.....	Portland, Oreg.
Oct. 20	American sailing vessel T. H. Allen.....	New York via Kobe.
Oct. 21	British steamship Coptic.....	San Francisco via Honolulu.
Oct. 22	British sailing vessel Thetis.....	Portland, Oreg.
Oct. 25	British steamship Mogul.....	Do.
Oct. 30	American steamship Rio de Janeiro.....	San Francisco via Honolulu.

I am, sir, very respectfully your obedient servant,
STUART ELDRIDGE, M. D.,
Sanitary Inspector, U. S. M. H. S.

The SUPERVISING SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

STATISTICAL REPORTS.

BAHAMAS—*Dunmore Town*.—Two weeks ended December 3, 1897. Estimated population, 1,472. No deaths.

Governors Harbor.—Two weeks ended December 4, 1897. Estimated population, 1,500. One death.

Green Turtle Cay—Abaco.—Two weeks ended December 2, 1897. Estimated population, 3,900. No deaths.

BERMUDA.—Two weeks ended December 4, 1897. Estimated population, 15,013. Three deaths. No deaths from contagious disease.

BRAZIL—*Ceara*.—Month of October, 1897. Estimated population, 50,000. Total deaths, 105. No deaths reported from contagious disease.

GREAT BRITAIN—*England and Wales*.—The deaths registered in 33 great towns in England and Wales during the week ended November 27 correspond to an annual rate of 20.2 a thousand of the aggregate population, which is estimated at 10,992,524. The highest rate was recorded in Swansea, viz, 28.6, and the lowest in Cardiff, viz, 11.0.